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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56, and 37 CFR 1.97-1.98, the documents listed on the attached form PTO-1449 are hereby made of record in this patent application.

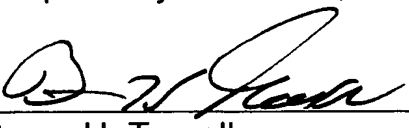
As this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with the initial application, no fee is believed due in order to have the listed references considered by the Examiner and made of record in the application.

Early action on the merits of the application is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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